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CONVENTION CLOSED SUNDAY

MEETING SMALL IN ATTENDANCE BUT INTERESTING.

Graduates Ordained into Ministry. Guests Entertained at Portage Lake.

The 36th annual convention of the Danish churches of America officially closed their meetings here last Sunday night. Although the meeting was small in point of attendance it was a grand success in every other way. There were 63 ministers and delegates present, who were directly interested in the convention. Besides a large number of visitors. On Sunday there was the largest attendance—about 300.

Since our last publication there has been some very interesting discussions, talks and lectures and the delegates felt that, although their number was small that they had been well repaid for coming long distances, by the excellent thoughts and enthusiasm that they were able to carry home with them.

The old officers were re-elected to serve this year, at the Saturday morning meeting, as follows: Rev. Graven-gaard of Marquette, Neb., president; Rev. A. Faber, Newell, Iowa, vice president and secretary; Rev. F. S. Faaborg, of Clinton, Iowa, treasurer; Niels Hermansen, of Nyated, Neb., was elected fourth member of the board.

Two more congregations affiliated with the society at this meeting, they being churches in Nebraska. Three graduates of Grand View college, in Des Moines, Ia., were ordained into the ministry as follows: Jess Sorenson, who will locate in Ludington; Jens Holst, who will preach at Ruskin, Neb., and Frederick Malland, who will go to California. Mr. Holst will occupy the local pulpit here next Sunday.

For the past two years funds have been collected for the establishment of a home for the aged and feeble, and the committee reported that it had on hand \$36,000, so it was decided to build a home to cost not more than \$20,000 and establish a fund of \$18,000 for its maintenance. Matters of collecting funds for conducting the college at Des Moines were considered and it was the opinion that they should come in a free will manner. Rev. Th. Knudsen, principal of Grand View college in a ringing speech stated that in order to make the college a success the money for its support should come from people spiritually interested in it, that this has been the policy of the past and hoped to continue. Those who heard him felt that he had greatly honored himself as well as the college by his principle in this matter, and was splendidly commended upon the good work he was doing. The society owns two building lots in Des Moines and it was voted to sell these and turn the proceeds into the school fund. There is a shortage of Danish ministers, and many cities and societies are trying to get local pastors, but the supply is so limited that many have to be disappointed.

A number of greetings were received from absent friends and among them was one from Rev. Rosenstand, of Denmark. It had been his privilege to visit Grayling 40 years ago when it was a wilderness, and he was surprised to know that the Danish churches of America were to hold their annual convention here, as he said "Up in the woods." Mr. Rosenstand was at one time minister in Manistee and used to visit Reed City and other cities in the state as a missionary. His daughter, Miss Ingeborg Rosenstand, of Chicago, was present at the meeting.

At this time Rasmus Hanson was granted the privilege of the floor and he said that he was well acquainted with Rev. Rosenstand and spoke familiarly of the olden days of pioneer missionary work in Michigan. Rev. Adam Dan also told of the great work of the pioneer missionaries and cited this assembly one of the results of their achievements. Also the many societies that are springing up everywhere, and the numerous young people societies. Rev. Dan is one of the most prominent Danish ministers of the day; and is one of three in America who have been honored by being received into the order of Daneborg, which was conferred upon him by the king of Denmark.

This assembly extended its congratulations and best wishes to one of their absent brothers, Rev. Ole Jacobson, now located in the south, it being the occasion of his silver wedding anniversary. An invitation was officially extended to Bishop Rosenfall of Bjelland, Denmark, to visit the churches of America some time during the next year. One of the most interesting speeches of the convention was delivered by Rev. Peterson, who for about thirty years has been doing missionary work in India. He came to America last March. He told of the great work that was being carried on in that part of Asia. He spoke for two hours steadily, and had the un-

divided attention of everyone present, so interesting was his talk, and at the close were general expressions of regret that more were not present to hear him. There has been a great deal of feeling among the churches of America on the matter of foreign missions and the talk by Rev. Peterson was all that was necessary to get the convention to take an active interest in the matter, and a special committee was appointed to look after these affairs.

The Danish churches of America support three children's homes. One located in Chicago, one in Perth Amboy, N. J., and one at Tyler, Minnesota.

Last Sunday morning Rev. A. Faber of Newell, Ia., preached at the Danish church; Rev. S. D. Rodholm at the Methodist church, and Rev. Graven-gaard at Daneborg hall. Rev.

GRAYLING WINS FROM MANISTEE

GAME WON IN NINTH INNING.

Two Base Hit By Letzkus Starts Rally.

The base ball season was opened in Grayling last Sunday by the local team defeating the Manistees in a very interesting game of 6 to 5. At the beginning of the ninth inning the game stood 3 to 5 in favor of the visitors, but Letzkus opened the inning for Grayling with a two base hit which "started the ball a rollin'" and when the inning finished three more lumber makers had crossed the plate.

The game was interesting from start to finish. Manistee opened the game,

2-base hits—Mellstrup 1, Quinlan 1, Letzkus 1, Ohst 1.
1st on balls—Off Spade 1, off Jones 2.
Struck out by Jones 6, by Spade 10.

Considering that this was the first game of the season for Grayling it was exceptionally good. There is little doubt but what we will have as good a team as last year, and perhaps better, if that is possible for amateur ball. Bibbins will be here next Saturday also Dodge, the star pitcher for Hastings last year and Fuller.

When the Show Comes to Town.

Amusement seekers and show goers of Grayling will have the treat of their lives next July 5th when the famous Sun Brothers' Worlds' Progressive shows appear here. Nothing better has ever before been seen in this section.

Every dream of boyhood days will be realized. The peanuts, the caramels, the pink lemonade, the clowns and the smell of fresh shavings, the whole good atmosphere of the tented show will be there. Every act with the show this season is entirely new, novel and of an ultra-meritorious character. A noteworthy engagement this year is the positive appearance at each performance of the famous Electric De Kamos, a quintette of high air equitation artists. Did you ever see a whirling Dervish? This act is doubly discounted by the Electric De Kamos. They float through the air like seraphs, and whirl through the empyrean like whirling dervishes, and all that sustains them is wires gripped in their teeth. It is indeed one of the most amazing and asperly ornate dizzy height performances ever conceived.

Nearly one hundred performers take part in the big program and are all artists of extraordinary ability. In the wild beast department will be seen many unique, strange and distinctively novel specimens of the animal kingdom and zoologic creations, and all are exhibited in a classified manner and explained by competent keepers and lecturers. Seats are provided for all patrons and the tents are well ventilated and commodious. Courteous ushers are in attendance to show visitors to eligible seats. Courtesy being a red letter rule with Sun Brothers' shows. The biggest aggregation will arrive here by a special train and spread their tents on the grounds here on July 5th.

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Office of the Quartermaster General.

Lansing, Mich., June 16, 1913.

Sealed proposals will be received until 12:00 o'clock noon, Friday, June 27, 1913, and then opened at the office of the Quartermaster General, Lansing, Michigan, for clearing two parcels of land on the Hanson State Military Reservation near Grayling, and approximately 80 acres and 50 acres respectively.

Separate bids should be submitted on each of these parcels.

A map of this property, together with detailed information may be seen at the quarters of Capt. Jesse D. Meade, Corps of Engineers, on the reservation, and at the office of R. Hanson & Sons, Grayling, Michigan. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for clearing land," and addressed to the Quartermaster General, Lansing, Michigan. WALTER G. ROOKES, Quartermaster General.

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TESTING THE WATER



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Dan conducted the communion service at the Danish church. In the afternoon the visitors became guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Hanson and were taken to Portage lake in automobiles and entertained with boat rides on their fine launch and treated to refreshments.

On Sunday evening Rev. Th. Knudsen, of Grand View college at Des Moines, Ia., spoke at Daneborg hall on the subject of Danish Folk High schools. He told his audience of the work of the great Rev. Grundtvig, and how the theories he had advanced are being applied in the Danish schools of today. He spoke also of the work of other great educators. At this meeting short talks were also given by Reverends Dorf, Anderson and Kjolhede. Altogether about 400 speeches and talks were given at the meetings.

Grayling, Mich, June 15, 1913.

To the President, the board of trustees and citizens of Grayling:

Gentlemen: For the first time has the annual conference of the Danish Evangelical Lutheran church been held in Grayling. I have been directed by the meeting, as its secretary to extend to all the citizens of Grayling our most hearty thanks for the hospitality we have met and the general feeling of kindness and courtesy shown us from the first day of the meeting to the last and for all the untiring efforts helping to make the visit a memorable and pleasant event.

We wish for the city and its thrifty citizens success and happiness in the future and the blessings of God in all their lawful and honorable undertakings. May it grow by be more fully and forever a center of culture and efficient citizenship.

A. Th. DORF.

The visit of the ministers and delegates was certainly appreciated and enjoyed by the people of Grayling and we trust that they have been as favorably impressed with our town and her people as we have been with them, individually and as a body. It did not require a student of human nature to learn the standard, moral character and high mindedness of the visitors—it was visible in every way. The guests seemed to be very close in companionship, and it was with evident reluctance that the closing words of the meeting were spoken and at the final the congregation sang their beautiful closing hymn:

Saa vil vi nu sige hvarandre Farvel
Og sige: Guds Fred over eder!
Guds Fred med os alle i Gry og i
Kvæld,
Saa mangle, som hjertelig heder,
At Christus, Guds Søn,
Saa være vor Søn,
Naar vi skal af Verden udvandre!
O hjælp os, Gud Fader, o hjælp os,
Guds Søn,
Saa glade være Løb vi fuldende!
Gud Helligaand, himmelske Trøster
Ilen,
Lad Kærligheds-luene brænde,
At vi kan med Lyd
Og Mod endi Bryd
Saa krampe, at Kronen vi vinde!

When you want a good glass of ice cream soda stop at Lewis & Co's.

Venne fouled out to Johnson; Brownrig singled over 2nd; Endahl was thrown out at first, advancing Brownrig who scored on Sheraska's single; Ohst was thrown out at first.

For Grayling Mellstrup's speed up on the base lines enabled him to make a two bagger out of a good hit. Jellinson struck out and Quinlan popped to Sheraska. Letzkus reached first on an error, scoring Mellstrup and later himself.

In the second inning Manistee scored again. Hohman walked and stole second. Gustafson reached 1st on fielder's choice. Squire to first on errors, scoring Hohman. Spade and Venue fanned. No more scores were made until the fifth inning.

For Manistee, Spade started off the 5th with a single. Letzkus dropped Venue's fly and Green dropped Brownrig's fly, scoring Spade and Venue. Endahl fanned; Ohst doubled to deep center, scoring Brownrig. Hohman fouled out to Johnson. This finished the scoring for the visitors, but at the time it didn't look like a victory for Grayling, however we never quit until the last man is out. This fighting spirit, like on many other occasions, spelled victory for us.

In the seventh Letzkus got to 1st on an error. Fuller fanned out; Jones singled advancing Letzkus to 3rd; Berger struck out; Letzkus and Jones worked the double steal, both being successful—Letzkus scoring, Williams struck out.

The visitors went out in the ninth in one, two, three order. For Grayling Letzkus walked out to the plate, spit on his hands, took a look out into the field and waited for a good one. At the crack of the bat the ball soared out into the deep center lot and Jake was safely planted on second before the ball was recovered. Fuller attempted to sacrifice to center but the fielder dropped the ball, Letzkus advancing to 3rd, and Fuller taking second in an attempt to step him. While Jones was being thrown out at 1st, Letzkus scored and Fuller advanced. Beger got to 1st on fielder's choice; Fuller scored and Berger took 3rd and later stole home.

GRAYLING		ABR	H	POA	E	
Mielstrup 1f		4	1	2	0	0
Johnson 1b		4	0	0	13	0
Quinlan 2b		4	0	1	2	2
Letzkus cf		4	3	1	3	0
Fuller c		4	1	0	6	1
Jones p		4	1	2	2	3
Burger 3b		3	0	0	0	1
Williams ss		3	0	0	1	4
Green rf		3	0	1	0	0

	33	6	7	27	11	
MANISTEE						
	ABR	H	POA	E		
Venne 3b.....	5	2	1	4	0	
Brownrig ss.....	4	1	1	0	1	
Endahl 2b.....	4	0	0	4	2	
Sheraska 1b.....	4	0	0	6	1	
Ohst c.....	4	0	2	10	2	
Hohman sf.....	3	1	1	1	0	
Gustafson 1f.....	3	0	0	0	0	
Squires rf.....	4	0	0	0	0	
Spade p.....	3	1	1	0	0	
	24	5	6	25	6	

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Manistee---	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0.5
Grayling--	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3.5

THE AVALANCHE

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TITLES REALLY TELL LITTLE

Dishes Put Upon the Table in These Days Have No Relation at All to Their Names.

When one comes to think of it, it is surprising how many fabulous animals come regularly to the dinner table or supper table.

Among them, of course, the most familiar is the Welsh rabbit, which in its original form was merely toasted cheese. Some folks declare that the name is a corruption of "rarebit," but this has never been proved.

Then there is the golden buck, which is a Welsh rabbit with rice in it, and a Mexican rabbit, otherwise known as a Spanish rabbit, contains tomatoes and onions.

So much for rabbits. But how many people are there who are familiar with the Cape Cod turkey? Plenty in New England, where codfish was used for that name.

Scotch woodcock is two slices of hot buttered toast, with an anchovy on each slice, and a sauce made of half a pint of milk and the yolks of three eggs poured over them.

Less familiar, perhaps, is English wicker, which is made by soaking a cupful of bread crumbs in a cup of milk and adding a tablespoonful of melted butter, a beaten egg, and half a cup of grated cheese, the whole, with salt and pepper added, being poured over toasted cracker.

The mock turtle is one of the most familiar of fabulous table animals, being served in the form of soup. In "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland" will be found a striking picture of this remarkable reptile, represented with the body of a turtle and the head of a calf.

Mock duck is a roll of chopped meat and bread crumbs baked. Mock crab is made by mixing equal parts of grated cheese and butter, seasoned with salt, pepper and vinegar, and adding a few drops of anchovy sauce. The paste thus prepared is spread on slices of dry toast or sometimes served in crab shells.

Last, but not least, remarkable of these mythological animals, known only to the kitchen naturalist, is the corn oyster, which is a small fritter of green corn fried like a real oyster.

Satisfying Honor in India. They have a peculiar way of going into bankruptcy among the Marwaris in India, now unhappily giving way to the less picturesque method of the white man, the Calcutta Journal states. When a man could not pay his bills he would summon his creditors. They were ushered in a room in which the thakur, or household god, was enshrined, but covered up with a cloth and with the face turned to the wall in order that it might not witness the scene that was to follow. The insolvent would then, in garb of mourning, lie on the floor, presenting his back to his creditors, who, on a given signal, would fall on him with shoes and slippers and belabor him till their wrath was exhausted. The beating finished, honor was declared to be satisfied all around.

Tommy Was Good. "I told you this morning," said Tommy's father, "that I would whip you if you were not a good boy today, did I not?"

"Yes, sir," answered Tommy. "Have you been a good boy?"

"Yes, sir." "Was it because you wished to please me?"

"No, sir," said the boy. "What then, Tommy?"

"Because I don't believe in encouraging strikes."

Wireless Coast Plants. There are 375 public wireless coast stations in the world at the present time, according to a report from the international bureau of wireless telegraphy. Of this number the United States has 142; Great Britain, 48; Canada, 33; Germany and its colonies, 22; Italy, 19; Russia, 19; France, 17; Spain, 10; and Denmark, 9.

The British and French colonies also have several stations. Of the wireless stations on board war vessels the United States has 247; Great Britain, 213; France, 141; Germany, 112; Italy, 72; Japan, 70; and Russia, 70.

The merchant marine of Great Britain has 455 stations; the United States, 258; Germany, 208; France, 68, and Italy, 47.

Accounted For. Mrs. Oletimer-Pehaw, John! There ain't nothin' between our Alice and Josh Perkins. Why, they treat each other awfully kind, and he always leaves by nine o'clock. Lovers don't act that way.

Mr. Oletimer—No, lovers don't; but I think they've been secretly married.—Puck.

HORRORS OF MINE IN WEST VIRGINIA

SENATORIAL COMMITTEE ARE ASTONISHED AT TESTIMONY PRESENTED.

MACHINE GUNS RAKE STRIKERS' CAMP AT HOLLY GROVE.

Operator Is Said to Have Ordered Train to Back Up to "Give Them Another Round."

The senate committee investigating the coal mine strikes in West Virginia spent an entire day in hearing evidence of a battle fought at the village of Holly Grove where a strikers' camp was located. The committee sat back astounded at the testimony of Lee Calvin, a mine guard, who was one of the men on an armored train which fired on the camp.

According to Calvin's story which was corroborated by other witnesses, as the train came up to Holly Grove a stream of fire from two machine guns was turned on the camp and continued to sweep it until the train passed. The firing from the train is alleged to have taken place before any shots were fired from the tents. Calvin further states that an operator by the name of Quint Morton came running through the car after the train had passed and shouted an order to back up the train and give them another round, but that the sheriff had refused to do so on account of the women and children in the camps.

Pale-faced women and men who showed the traces of years of arduous toil digging coal from the West Virginia mountains, told the committee their side of the controversy. It was a tale of a peaceful community of happy, contented people, transformed into a theater of war, and the members of the senate committee sat back, with startled glances, as witnesses after witness told the story of the strike.

Want Bees to Work Overtime. W. S. Frasier, who is engaged in the apiculture business in Indianapolis, will try a new venture this summer, the outcome of which is being watched with interest by bee men of Traverse City. June 25 he will bring 115 colonies of bees to the farm of John Holmes on the peninsula and harvest a crop of honey from the wild milkweed common in that locality. The bees have already finished their honey harvest in Indiana and their owner figures that by bringing them north he will be able to get double service from them every year.

Michigan Moose Elect Officers. R. T. Johnson, of Detroit, was elected to the highest office of the state association of Moose, at Saginaw, that of state dictator. The other officers are: Vice Dictator, E. W. Sargent, Cheboygan; prelate, H. Housin, Durand; sergeant-at-arms, John E. Saginaw; inner guard, R. T. Wilson, Saginaw; outer guard, A. G. Desch, Cadillac; secretary, William Taylor, Jackson; treasurer, R. Corwin, Reed City; trustees, John Bernhard, Ludington; Joseph Wieg, Saginaw, and A. C. Worth, Lansing.

National Convention at Lapeer. Three hundred men from all over the United States gathered at the Home for the Feeble-minded for the thirty-seventh annual session of the American Association for the Study of Feeble-minded. The convention lasted three days and the daily programs consisted of the reading and discussion of papers on various phases of the treatment of the mentally deficient.

The inmates of the home presented a play, "A Visit to Fairyland," for the benefit of the visitors. Governor Ferris delivered an address.

E. A. Snow has been elected president of the Saginaw county bar association.

At a meeting of the Eaton county road commissioners it was decided to construct the 16-foot state trunk line good road from Charlotte city through the northern half of the county by the route of the old state road, by way of Potterville and Millets.

In one of the several opinions handed down, Attorney General Fellows holds that it is the duty of sheriffs to investigate alleged violations of the liquor law rather than the prosecuting attorneys, whose duty it is to act when formal complaint of a specific charge has been filed.

W. H. Head, president of a cooperative plant, has announced plans for a factory at Saginaw to employ 50 men.

The executive committee of the Western Michigan Development bureau voted to use its influence in promoting cold storage plants, canning factories, either mills and similar institutions that will use orchard products.

The Michigan grand court of Foresters elected the following officers: Grand chief ranger, T. C. Crow, Detroit; sub-chief ranger, Frank Deonard, Hubbard; financial secretary, A. Saunders, Detroit; recording secretary, William Brown, Pontiac; treasurer, Bruno Leclerc, sheriff of Mackinac county, for two terms, and then treasurer for two terms, was buried at St. Ignace. He died at Edmonton, Alta., of pneumonia.

After discovering that she had taken a three-grain bichloride of mercury tablet instead of a tablet intended for heart, Mrs. Helen Conrad, mother-in-law of Prof. J. B. Allen, of the engineering department of the University at Ann Arbor, rushed to the home of a physician. He hurried her to the homeopathic hospital, where prompt relief saved her life.

THOMAS NELSON PAGE



Italy has notified President Wilson that the distinguished author and diplomat is acceptable as American Ambassador.

ASTOR BUYS LONDON POST

Expatriated American Now Controls the Three Most Influential Papers in England.

A sensation was created in Fleet London, when it became known that William Waldorf Astor, the expatriated American had purchased the Morning Post, which has many years has been regarded as the society organ and has been sought after by several prominent newspaper publishers.

The price paid is said to have been \$1,250,000. Mr. Astor is already the owner of the Pall Mall Gazette, one of the leading afternoon papers of London and the Observer, which holds the front rank among the Sunday publications. It was said by newspaper men that by acquiring the Morning Post, Mr. Astor now controls the three most influential political journals in the United Kingdom.

Move to Widen Grand River. That the widening of the Grand river channel to 400 feet and its deepening to 20 feet or even 15 feet will be the means of flood prevention and make navigable the stream from Grand Rapids to Lake Michigan and at the same time attract diversified industries to the city, was the consensus of opinion at the meeting of the directors of the Grand Rapids Association of Commerce.

The first steps toward realizing the double project were taken, a resolution being passed directing the Grand river committee to co-operate with the transportation committee and United States Senator William Alden Smith in gathering all available data to be presented to the government.

Canal to Be Done Jan. 1, 1915. "By January 1, 1915, anything that floats can pass through the Panama canal between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans," declared Col. George W. Goethals, chief engineer of the canal zone, who arrived in New York from Colon.

"I shall send a vessel through the canal just as soon as we get water into it," continued the chief engineer. "I promised the Fram, used by Amundsen in discovering the south pole, should go first, but the initial passage probably will be by a smaller craft."

Pleased With Court Decision. Auditor General Fuller and Attorney General Fellows are much pleased over the decision of the United States supreme court in which it was held that the ad valorem system of taxation in Michigan as applied to telephone companies was constitutional. This means that the state of Michigan will be paid, probably this month, approximately \$183,000 in back taxes and interest, and settles several other cases where telephone companies were seeking to contest the law.

Fifty Drowned in Russia. Fifty persons were drowned by the sinking of a dilapidated ferry boat, while crossing the River Tereptsa on the Russian Ascension day, June 5, according to delayed dispatches from Vyatka. A riot ensued among the populace of the district owing to their indignation over the laxity of the supervision of the ferry.

Forty-two young men and women, the largest class in the history of the institution, were granted their A. B. degrees at Olivet college commencement.

The work of elevating the steam railroad tracks in Kalamazoo, will start within a short time. The Michigan Central officials have announced they are ready to undertake the work, but on account of financial difficulties it will be necessary to do it a section at a time, extending over a period of several years.

The women employees of the Parchment Paper Co. of Kalamazoo, will, in the future, be allowed to worship at the factory on Sunday. The Parchment company's plant is located on the outskirts of the city far from any church.

Commercial club was organized in Coldwater and will include at least 150 members with subscriptions of \$44 each for three years, making a total of \$4,750 to be raised for factories. L. J. Myers heads the organization with J. B. Branch and L. E. Ross.

MOROS ARE COMPLETELY BEATEN

AMERICAN SOLDIERS DRIVE REBELLING TRIBESMAN FROM MOUNTAIN.

SIX OF ATTACKING ARMY ARE KILLED.

General Pershing Praaises the Conduct of His Men—Complete Disarmament of Tribesmen is Object of Pursuit.

Complete rout of the rebellious on Mount Hagsay was accomplished by the American forces with the loss of six men killed and seven wounded.

Reports of the engagement, reached Manila by wireless from the island of Jolo. All of the Americans killed were members of the several companies of scouts. In the first advance upon the mountain, when the Moros were nearly dislodged from their positions, six Americans were also then killed. The number of dead among the Moros is not known.

This last battle began just before dark. The fighting was fierce, but the American advance so determined that the Moros at last stole away and left the mountain clear.

Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing, commanding the department in Mindanao, is leading the forces and is enthusiastic in praise of the conduct of his men.

Complete disarmament of the semi-civilized tribes in the southern Philippines as a step toward permanent peace in the archipelago was the object of the attack on the Moros.

Government Loses Big Suit. The government suit against the Midwest Oil Co.—a test case involving the title to millions of dollars worth of oil lands in California and Wyoming—was dismissed by Judge John A. Riner, of the United States district court, at Cheyenne, Wyo., while the government sought to recover over 4,000 acres of land in this suit, the issues involved cover thousands of acres of other California and Wyoming lands.

Five Professors Are Arrested. Warrants were issued here for the arrest of five professors and surgeons of the medical department of the university of Pennsylvania on the charge of cruelty to animals in connection with the vivisection of dogs. This constitutes the second step in a legal campaign by a local women's society. Recently Dr. J. E. Sweet, of the university was arrested on a similar charge.

Eleven Killed in New York. Eleven men were killed and two were injured when a section of the lower, or express level, of the Lexington avenue subway, New York, caved in. With a roaring sound, 2,000 tons of granite ripped loose from the top of the excavation and smashed into splinters on the rock bottom beneath.

Woman in Forestry Service. Equal suffrage has found its way into the federal forestry service with the appointment of Miss Hallie M. Daggett, of Sacramento, Cal., as forest guard in the Siskiyou reserve. Miss Daggett has been appointed to the lookout post at Eddy's Gulch.

William Holmes, former mayor of Menominee and well known all over the state, is dead at the age of 83 years.

Director Raymond Weyer, of the Muskegon art museum, will leave for Europe soon to purchase \$2,500 worth of pictures.

Fire supposed to have been started by tramps in the main lumber shed of R. J. Corlett & Son, at Hillsdale, destroyed almost an entire block, causing a loss estimated at \$46,000.

James Arthur Fielding, 19 years old, was drowned in Wolf lake. Fielding and B. L. Lacey, both of Jackson, were fishing when a big wave swept over into the boat and sank it.

Within 36 hours the Pere Marquette railroad lost six freight cars by fire on the side tracks. The damage is about \$10,000. It is believed a fire bug, who has been at work for two years, is to blame.

John Turk, a brakeman on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, was killed while switching at MacKee Junction on the Copper Range. Turk lost his footing while walking on a car, fell between two cars of the moving train and his body was cut in two above the hips.

The cornerstone of the new St. Paul's Episcopal church, at Lansing, was laid by Bishop Williams of Detroit, the ceremony being attended by visiting clergy from neighboring cities.

Michigan postmasters named by the president recently were: R. D. Watson, Rochester; A. E. Stebbins, Sheridan; C. W. Cargo, Bellevue; J. S. Hardy, Honor; I. C. Wheeler, Manistowic; J. W. O'Leary, Brooklyn; M. R. Carey, Decatur; D. E. Storms, Harrisville; H. A. Bishop, Millington; John Luis, Saline; W. H. Wint, Williams-ton.

Mrs. Louis E. Barnes, Orono, received word that she had been left a legacy of \$10,000 by an uncle in Salt Lake City. Several years ago her husband was thrown from a buggy and killed, and since then she has been in needy circumstances.

Judge Glen B. Failing, of Kalamazoo, has ruled that when a man hires out to work by the month his employer has no right to ask him to work on Sunday. The case grew out of the refusal of the proprietor of a candy store to pay his clerk full wages because he did not work on Sunday.

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THE MARKETS.

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

DETROIT: Cattle—Receipts, 575 market steady to strong on all grades; good active trade. Best steers and heifers, \$8.45; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$7.90 to \$8.15; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$7.50 to \$8.15; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6.75; choice fat cows, \$6.50 to \$6.75; good fat cows, \$5.75 to \$6.25; common cows, \$5.50 to \$5.75; canners, \$4.45 to \$4.50; choice heavy bulls, \$6.50 to \$7; fair to good bologna bulls, \$6.50 to \$6.50; stock bulls, \$5.50 to \$6; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$7.25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.50 to \$6.75; choice stockers, \$6.00 to 700 lbs., \$6.50 to \$7; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6.25 to \$6.50; stock heifers, \$5.50 to \$6; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$6.00 to \$7; common milkers, \$3.00 to \$4.

Veal Calves—Receipts, 441; market 50c higher; best, \$10 to \$10.50; others, \$8 to \$9.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,062; market for good lambs 15c to 25c higher; others steady; best dry fed lambs, \$7.25 to \$7.50; fair lambs, \$6.50 to \$6.50; light to common lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.50; fair to good sheep, \$5.50 to \$5.25; culls and common, \$3.50 to \$4; spring lambs, \$4 to \$9.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,127; market, 10c higher. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$8.75; pigs, \$8.75; light Yorkers, \$8.75; stags one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO: Cattle—Receipts, 155 cars; all grades weighing from 1,200 up sold from 25c to 40c higher; all dry fed butcher stuff sold 15c to 25c higher. Best 1,350 to 1,500-lb steers, \$8.75 to \$9; good to prime 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers, \$8.50 to \$8.75; good to prime 1,100 to 1,200-lb steers, \$8.25 to \$8.50; coarse and plain weighty steers, \$7.50 to \$8.15; good to choice handy steers, \$8.25 to \$8.40; medium butcher steers, \$8.25 to \$8.40; light common butcher steers and heifers, \$7.50 to \$8; best fat cows, \$6.50 to \$6.75; good butcher cows, \$5.75 to \$6.25; light butcher cows, \$5.25 to \$5.75; trimmers, \$4.45 to \$4.25; best fat heifers, \$7.50 to \$8; medium butcher heifers, \$7.50 to \$7.75; light and common heifers, \$6.50 to \$6.75; stock heifers, \$5.75 to \$6.25; prime heavy bulls, \$7.25 to \$7.50; best butcher bulls, \$6.50 to \$7; bologna bulls, \$6.50 to \$6.50; stock bulls, \$5.50 to \$6; best milkers and springers, \$7.50 to \$9; common kind, \$4 to \$6.

Hogs—Receipts, 100 cars; market strong. Heavy, \$9.10 to \$9.15; Yorkers, \$8.15 to \$9.20; pigs, \$9.15 to \$9.25; roughs, \$7.50 to \$8; stags, \$6.50 to \$7.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 30 cars; market slow. Top lambs, \$5.50 to \$6; yearling lambs, \$7.35 to \$7.60; wethers, \$5.75 to \$6; ewes, \$4 to \$5.

Calves, \$5 to \$10.50.

GRAIN, ETC.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.04; July opened with an advance of 1-2c at 91 3-4c, advance to 92 1-4c, declined to 92c and closed at 92 1-4c; September opened at 91 3-4c and advanced to 92 1-4c; December opened at 94 1-2c and advanced to 95c; No. 1 white, \$1.03.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 59 1-2c; No. 2 yellow, 2 cars at 67 1-2c; 1 at 61 3-4c, closing at 62c asked; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 61 1-2c.

Oats—Standard, 41c; No. 3 white, 2 cars at 40c; No. 4 white, 2 cars at 39c, 1 at 38c, 1 at 39c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 64c.

Beans—Immediate, prompt and June shipment, \$2.05; August, \$2.10.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 100 pounds, jobbing lots; Best patent, \$5.70; second patent, \$5.20; straight, \$5; Spring patent, \$5.10; rye, \$4.60 per bbl.

Feed—in 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots; Bran, \$2.10; coarse middlings, \$2.10; fine middlings, \$2.10; cracked corn, \$2.50; coarse cornmeal, \$2.25; corn and oat chop, \$2.10 per ton.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Strawberries—Southern, \$3.75 to \$4 per 24-lb case; Michigan, \$4 per bu.

Apples—Steele Red, \$4.50 to \$5; Ben Davis, \$3 to \$4 per bbl; western, \$2 to \$2.50 per box.

Cabbages—New, \$2.50 to \$2.75 per crate. Dressed Calves—Choice, 10 to 11c; fawns, 13 to 13 1-2c per lb.

Onions—Texas, Bermudas, yellow \$1.25, white \$1.30 per crate.

Potatoes—Michigan, car lots in sacks, 30 to 35c; store lots, 40 to 45c per bu.

Tomatoes—Florida, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per crate; Texas, 4-basket crates, \$1.50 to \$1.75.

Honey—Choice to fancy white comb, 17 to 18c; amber, 14 to 15c; extracted, 7 to 8c per pound.

Live poultry—Broilers, 27 to 28c; spring chickens, 17 to 17 1-2c; hens, 17 to 17 1-2c; No. 2 hens, 11 to 12c; old roosters, 10 to 11c; turkeys, 17 to 18c; geese, 11 to 12c; ducks, 16 to 17c per lb.

New Potatoes—Triumph, \$1.50 to \$1.60 per bu; white, \$4 per bbl.

Hay—Car lots, track Detroit: No. 1 timothy, \$14.50 to \$15; No. 2 timothy, \$13 to \$13 1-2; light mixed, \$13.50 to \$14; No. 1 mixed, \$12 to \$13; rye straw, \$8 to \$10; wheat and oat straw, \$8 to \$8.50 per ton.

Cheese—Wholesale lots: Mich flats, 14 1-2 to 14 1-2c; New York flats, 15 to 15 1-2c; brick cream, 14 3-4 to 15c; Limburger, 2-bb cases, 15 to 15 1-2c; Limburger, 1-bb cases, 16 to 16 1-2c; Imported Swiss, 25 to 25c; domestic Swiss 22 to 24c; brick Swiss, 15c; long horns, 10c per lb.

Hides—No. 1 cured, 13c; No. 1 green, 10 1-2c; No. 1 cured bull, 11c; No. 1 green bull, 9c; No. 1 cured veal kip, 15c; No. 1 green veal kip, 13c; No. 1 cured murrain, 12c; No. 1 green murrain, 10c; No. 1 cured calf, 17 1-2c; No. 1 green calf, 16c; No. 2 kip and calf 1 1-2c off; No. 2 hides 1c off; No. 1 horsehide, \$4; No. 1 horsehide, \$3; Imported Swiss, as to amount of wool, \$6 to \$11.50; lamba, 20 to 30c.

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LETTER FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

FELLOWS HOLDS THAT FINNISH IS NOT A PUBLIC SCHOOL.

DEFECT IN LOCAL OPTION LAW POINTED OUT.

School Districts Will Profit By Decision of U. S. Supreme Court Upholding Law to Tax Telephone Companies.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

In an opinion rendered Attorney General Fellows holds that it would not be a violation of the Warner-Crampton liquor law for the city council of Hancock to permit the location of a saloon within 500 feet of the Finnish College and Theological Seminary.

The question was raised that the Finnish college is a privately maintained institution and therefore could not be classed as a public school.

In response to a query from Prosecuting Attorney A. L. Bayles, of Newberry, the state's legal department has rendered an opinion to the effect that physicians conducting drug stores in local option counties can sell liquor only upon prescription.

Since the question has been raised it has been pointed out that it would be an easy proposition for an unscrupulous physician to establish a drug store in a local option territory, do an enormous prescription business and escape prosecution. He could write a prescription for a pint of whiskey, or a quart bottle, whichever the case might be, and then if he owned the drug store and was a registered pharmacist could go behind the counter, fill the order and pocket the money. Such a case, has yet to be reported, however.

Many of the school districts of Michigan will benefit as the result of the opinion of the United States supreme court affirming the constitutionality of the act passed by the legislature in 1909 which provides that telephone companies shall be taxed on an ad valorem basis the same as railroads and telegraph companies.

With the exception of the Citizens Telephone company of Jackson and the Citizens' Telephone company of Grand Rapids, all the companies paid their taxes as provided in the new law, but these two concerns carried the case through the Michigan courts and the supreme court of the United States in order to defeat the purpose of the act.

Exclusive of the 1912 tax the two companies owe the state \$114,000. The Grand Rapids company is indebted to the extent of \$107,000 and the Jackson company owes \$7,400. Including the penalty of one per cent per month and the 1912 tax the amount due the state will be \$163,000.

All of this money is turned into the primary school fund. If the delinquent companies remit at once the apportionment which will be made July 15 will exceed \$7 per capita. At the present time the primary school fund lacks \$101,000 of having enough to pay the school districts at the rate of \$7 per child.

Auditor General Fuller says that only 37 foreign liquor dealers have paid their liquor licenses as required by law. Accordingly he is sending notices to all the sheriffs and prosecuting attorneys directing them to call attention to the foreign liquor dealers to this section of the law.

Members of the attorney general's department are wrathful because the Burns' man, who was to be a witness at the trial of Davidson, the convict accused of starting the fire, failed to appear. It is said that Detective Burns is miffed at the failure of the prison board to pay the bill which was presented some time ago. Before former governor Osborn retired from office he declared that the board of control of Jackson prison had hired the detective on their own responsibility, and it would be up to them to supply the funds.

Lawton T. Hemans, chairman of the state railroad commission says that the decision of the United States supreme court which gives the various states the right to fix reasonable interstate rates until such time as congress shall act in the matter, will increase the efficiency and power of the Michigan railroad commission to a wonderful degree.

At the present time the state is endeavoring to force the Duluth South Shore and Atlantic railroad to carry passengers for two cents per mile in compliance with the provisions of an act passed at session of 1911. One of the principal arguments advanced by the railroad company is to the effect that the state has no jurisdiction over interstate business in the matters pertaining to the making of rate. Chairman Hemans says that this argument is knocked into a cocked hat as the result of the decision by the supreme court.

Under the amendment passed at the session of 1911 districts are prohibited from sharing in the apportionment where they already have enough to pay the salaries of teachers. Last year several districts received no money, but they are in the market this year. It is believed that the school teachers have benefited to some extent, as Auditor Fuller says that there are places where it would be impossible to see all the available funds without increasing the teachers' salaries.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 19

EXPERIMENT SUB STATION.

Effort Being Made to Get One for this County.

The old experiment station has been abandoned for about twenty years, and since that time many new methods of fertilizing and preparing the soil and rotation of crops have been developed, which goes to show a present day experiment in Crawford county should result in a great benefit to our farmers.

There is some poor land in our county as well as some extra good land and medium land. It is advocated by some of our farmers that such an experiment station should be located upon extra good land and not poor land but upon an average soil. They say "Why spend time and money trying to develop farms out of poor lands when there are thousands of acres of extra good lands that are still laying waste, awaiting the time when the hand of the farmer will make it productive with crops and live stock."

We understand that a piece of land suitable for experimental purposes has been investigated. It lies about three miles south of the planning mill, and its owner will sell it to the state at a moderate price. Members of Crawford Co. Grange have passed resolutions and are circulating a paper for signers, petitioning the state board to take up this matter. Following is a copy of their resolution:

At a regular meeting of the Crawford County Grange No. 934, held at their rooms June 7th, 1913, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

To the honorable State Board of Agriculture, Gentlemen: That Whereas, as the experiment sub-station at Grayling, Crawford county is a failure for experimental purposes owing to its not representing fairly the agricultural lands in this section hence experiments there are without beneficial results, therefore be it:

Resolved that we respectfully ask your honorable body to dispose of the same and procure lands suitable for experimental purposes and resume experimental work in this county and be it further resolved that the Grange and also those whose names are hereunto affixed will cooperate with you in every effort to advance the agricultural interests of Northern Michigan.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Secretary of the Board of Agriculture.

Signed HUGO SCHUMANN JR., Secretary.

PERRY STRANDER, Master.

Important Change of Time

June 22, 1913

New York Central Lines

Michigan Central—"The Niagara Falls Route"

The public is invited to consult our ticket agent regarding Summer Time Table Schedule, effective June 2nd.



Beaver Creek.

Henry Burgess lost a nice hog last week.

Mr. Belmore's horse got badly cut up in the barb wire fence.

Jens Hansen has torn down his old house and has the lumber on the ground for a new one.

Raymond Parker of Chicago arrived Saturday to spend the summer with his mother at Forest View farm.

Mr. Felling lost a horse from colic and Mr. Nielsen lost a horse last week there seems to be an epidemic of colic among the horses.

Mrs. Herbert Parker returned last week from Pullman, where she has been visiting her parents. She also visited her brother in St. Louis, Mich.

BAR SEPARATE MOTORS

GERMAN ELECTRIC ROAD ADOPTS A NEW SYSTEM.

Maintenance Cost Believed to Be Lower, and Service Rendered Greater, Than Under the Present System.

In changing from steam power to electric power for its enormous city and suburban passenger traffic, the Berlin Stadtbahn has decided to use electric locomotives, one at each end of all long trains, instead of each coach fitted with motors to run separately. It is said 567 locomotives will be used with 630 passenger coaches and 29 repair cars. When two or more locomotives are coupled to the same train, as circumstances demand, these will be operated by one man by means of a simplified multiple-unit system. The assertion is made that experience gained with electric locomotives in Germany shows that maintenance costs are below those of motor coaches. The locomotive has large hauling powers and one such engine can therefore take the place of many motor coaches. Added to this, the motors and other electrical gear are very accessible, which is an important item from the point of cleaning and repairs. It also appears that since the motors of electric locomotives are spring-borne and placed high up in the body, there is less noise and vibration, as compared with motor coaches, and that they do less damage to the track. During the busiest hours of the day, when the traffic is heaviest, the trains will be made up of 13 six-wheel coaches, which will be propelled by two locomotives, one at each end of the train. At other times, when the railway is less busy, the trains will consist of five or eight cars, which will be coupled to a single locomotive. Trains made up in this manner can be driven from either end by fitting the last coach with a controller.—Popular Mechanics.

It would not cost much, for Ogemaw county to continue this road on through to West Branch and from there south east to the Arenac county line. The road could be continued through Alger, Sterling and Standish, connecting with any of the stone roads leading into Bay City.

"Running north from Roscommon, through Crawford, Osego and Cheboygan counties, a number of sections of the road, a great many miles in extent, are already built and it would not entail the expenditure of any great amount of money to construct the connecting links."

"This road would make the shortest route from Bay City to Mackinaw and would not only traverse a part of the state famed for its lakes and fishing, but would be a direct automobile road to the new state military encampment in Crawford county. The grounds will doubtless be ready for use by the time of the encampment next year, which will bring hundreds of automobiles through this section of the state and the proposed road will be a public necessity."

"It is now proposed to call a convention of delegates from the counties interested within the near future and take such action as to insure a good start on the road this year, so that it may be finished in time for the state encampment in 1914. It is a good project and worthy of the co-operation of every county through which the road will run."

In speaking of the road building, Mr. Carter said:

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A few drops of lemon juice in plain water is an excellent tooth wash, it not only removes the tartar but sweetens the breath.

A teaspoonful of the juice in a small cup of black coffee invariably relieves a bilious headache.

The finest of manicure acids is made by putting a teaspoonful of lemon juice in a cupful of warm water. This removes most stains from the fingers and nails and loosens the cuticle more satisfactorily than can be accomplished with a sharp instrument.

Lemon juice and salt will remove rust stains from linen without any injury to the fabric. Wet the stains with the mixture and put the article in the sun. Two or three applications may be necessary if the stain is of long standing, but it never fails.

Lemon juice (outward application) will allay the inflammation caused by insect bites.

Half a lemon squeezed into a basin of water for the toilet will work miracles against blotches and boxes of expensive and artificial cosmetics.

As a healer, lemons possess a power unequalled by any disinfectant. If you cut your finger, stick it into a fresh cut lemon. It will smart for a few minutes, but the mild acid will make the wound absolutely clean, antiseptic and free from poisoning.

Ulcers and Skin Troubles.

If you are suffering with any old, running or fever sores, ulcers or boils, eczema or other skin troubles, get a box of Bucklen's Arnica salve and you will get relief promptly. Mrs. Bruce Jones, of Birmingham, Ala., suffered from an ugly ulcer for nine months and Bucklen's Arnica salve cured her in two weeks. Will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by A. M. Lewis & Co. Adv.

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Victim of Snakes He Hunted.

After destroying upwards of 2,000 vipers in the course of his career as a snake hunter, M. Henry Sausserou died recently in Paris, from the bite of a snake. He was hunting snakes in the woods near Bouloire (Sarthe), when a viper bit him in the hand and arm, and he died in terrible agony twelve hours later.

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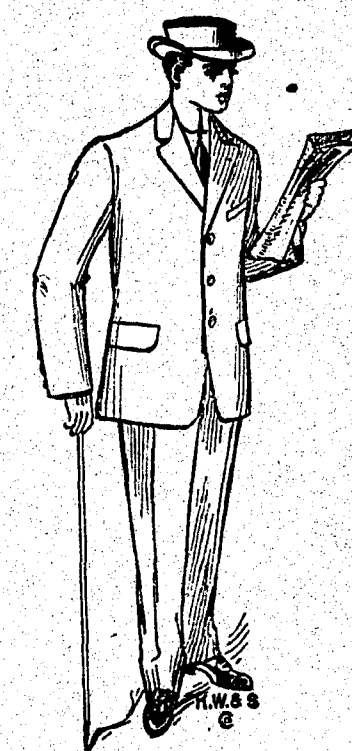
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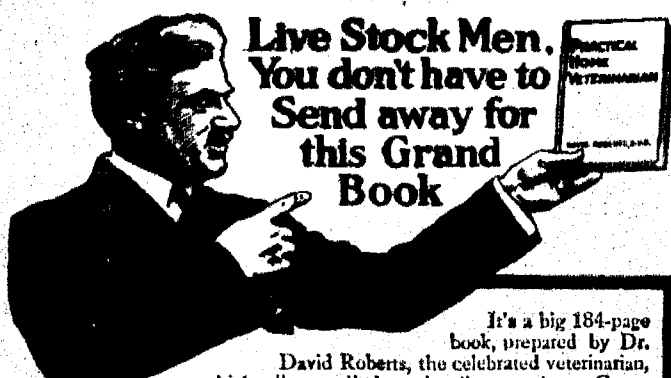
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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 19

Local and Neighborhood News.

Liberal Men.

He was a stungy guy and he Cured not for hoots and jeers; When asked to give to charity He said "I'll give three cheers."

—Cluelunatti Enquirer.

We know another guy— A knocker was this chap— But when it came to charity He didn't give a rap.

—Yonkers Statesman.

Knew a stungy guy one time. To smallest things he'd stoop. When neighbors needed help this chap Would never give a whoop.

—Grand Rapids Press.

Another stungy guy in town Whose middle name is Sam When asked to help the needy poor Will never give a—Dill pickle.

Mut.

New gasoline launch for sale cheap. Inquire of A. M. Lewis. 612 2w

A man without an aim in life is like a dog with no wag in his tail.

Joseph Tetu of Manistee spent Sunday at the home of his cousin, Frank Tetu.

Leo Frederickson of Gaylord spent Sunday here with his sister, Miss Emma.

The pia-punchers at the Dowel factory have been laid off for an indefinite length of time.

For Rent—Good house for small family, barn and garden patch. Inquire of H. Borchers.

Mrs. E. Brethouwer and little son, Clayton, of Lewiston visited friends here the fore part of the week.

Miss Mary Clark of Bay City was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Brady for a week.

Mrs. Thos. Cassidy and daughters, Hazel and Rose, are spending the week in Cheboygan, having left last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eno Milnes visited friends in Lewiston last Saturday and Sunday returning home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Morris Gorman and children arrived home Saturday last after several days visit at the home of her father at Lovells.

Harvey Burrows, who left the fore part of last week for Flint returned home on Friday reporting his mother very much improved.

Miss Mattie Kraus is spending a couple of weeks with her sisters, Mrs. Sam Pollack at Detroit and Mrs. M. B. Wienberg in Saginaw.

The dance last Friday evening, although not very well attended proved to be a very enjoyable affair. A few of the Lovells young people came down in the Douglas auto and took it in.

Miss Rosanna Sachs returned to her home in Lewiston on Saturday last after a successful term of school here. She carried her 12th grade diploma with her, also the hearty congratulations of many friends.

The Champion-Richmond Stock company produced very good plays at the Temple Theater last week. Each play was combined with two reels of motion pictures, which was very considerate for the price of admission.

For Sale—1913 model, motor cycles and motor boats at bargain prices. All makes, brand new machines, on easy monthly payment plan. Get our proposition before buying or you will regret it, also bargains in used motor cycles. Write us today. We inclose stamp for reply. Address Lock Box 11, Trenton, Mich.

Next Monday will occur the tenth anniversary of the ordination of Rev. Father Riess into priesthood. The occasion will be commemorated by a public reception that will be held at the opera house next Monday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. Rev. Riess has many friends in Grayling and surrounding towns besides those who are members of his congregation, who will, no doubt, be glad of this opportunity of meeting with him upon this memorable occasion. The public is generally invited.

The forest fires in this district are well under control.

Going fishing is still the popular treatment for spring fever.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Brown on June 14th, a fine little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Miller are the happy parents of a ten pound baby boy.

Miss Margrethe Hanson returned Friday after a few weeks' visit in Detroit.

Harry Connine is home from the U. of M., having arrived yesterday afternoon.

The Messrs. Hagedorn, Husted and Harper of West Branch spent Sunday in this city.

While busy with other things do not neglect your eyes. See Hathaway, optometrist.

Farmers Notice—I want 150 head of cattle between now and Nov. 25. Get my prices.

F. H. Minks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kidd of Bay City arrived yesterday and are visiting at the home of Mrs. Kidd's parents.

The Messrs. Hazel and Alvah Williams left for their old home in East Jordan yesterday to enjoy a few days visit.

Miss Elizabeth Alexander returned to Detroit on Saturday after a fortnight's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Alexander.

Mrs. O. Hanson, of Bay City returned to her home yesterday, after spending a week as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Adler Jorgenson.

S. Bedford of Manistee, an old friend and associate of R. Hanson, was a guest of the latter last Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. James Johnson with her little daughter, Eleanor, returned to their home in Gaylord Wednesday after a week's visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Lesprance.

Miss Lillian Bates, Miss Bement, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. Keyport and Miss McPhee are enjoying a few days at the Bates cottage at Portage Lake.

Strayed—June 9th, gray horse with large cow bell, from my place in Waters. Tracked about 12 miles toward Maple Forest. Reward offered.

Henry Holmstrom, Waters.

Newly ordained minister, Rev. Jens Holst, of Ruston, Neb., a recent graduate of Grand View college, in Des Moines, Ia., will occupy the pulpit at the Danish church, here next Sunday morning.

Fishing tackle—the kind that catches fish. Ask our advice on the proper kind to use around here. Mail orders promptly looked after.

A. M. Lewis & Co.

C. F. Stewart of Norwalk, Ohio, was in the city yesterday and today, calling on old friends. Mr. Stewart is the originator of the Grayling Dowel factory and inventor of the machines for manufacturing dowel pins, such as are used there.

Mr. Newman, superintendent of Ward's fruit farm near Pontiac, Mich., has been assisting Eli Forbush in operating the new gasoline power sprayers on the Ward orchard, at Frederic. From 3 to 5 men are trimming the trees, which makes a remarkable improvement. The prospects for fruit are very good, it is estimated the orchard will yield from fifteen to twenty thousand barrels of apples this season.

Ernest Willem, head surveyor for the Commonwealth Power company in their work down the river, was accidentally thrown against the wind shield of Wm. Coty's auto Saturday night, cutting several deep gashes in his thighs from the broken glass. He was taken to Mercy hospital where Dr. Insley took several stitches. He is getting along nicely and will be out soon. His brother C. A. Willem, of Lansing, visited him here today.

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brink, Miss Margaret to Mr. John S. Waughness which occurred in Everett, Wash., on June 10. Mr. Brink is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brink of this city, and as they were formerly residents of Grayling, will be well remembered here. Since they moved west Miss Margaret has been here and took a course in high school. We extend congratulations and best wishes for a happy wedded life. They will make their future home in Everett, Wash.

Phone No. 5 for auto service.

Portage lake cottage for sale. Inquire of A. M. Lewis. 612 2w
Boats for rent, 1-2 mile from Kasori. O. McIntyre.

McCullough's barber shop now supports a colored porter.

Miss Margaret Mortenson of Flint, spent the week-end here visiting friends.

"Get the habit." You know the rest. "Mat's Barber Shop" over Lewis' drug store.

Fire insurance is too cheap to be without. Why are you so negligent? Geo. L. ALEXANDER & SON.

Lots for sale on easy terms and long time payments. Also pasture lands for rent. Miss H. JOSEPH.

While the elaborate refreshments make a hit with the ladies a man wants something to eat.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodge returned to their home in Detroit on Monday after a two week's visit with their parents.

Try Vabro creamery butter. Fresh, clean and wholesome. We get it fresh from the creamery the day it's made.

BRINK'S GROCERY.

Lost—A pocket book containing money, in or near Sorenson's Furniture store last Friday. Finder please return at this office.

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Henry Joseph resigned his position at Edelstein's Dry Goods store in Cheboygan and arrived home Monday afternoon where he will remain for the present.

The Messdames John Harrington and Homer Benedict are attending the G. A. R. encampment at Lansing this week. Mrs. Benedict being a delegate from here.

I wish to sell my property on the corner of Michigan avenue and Elm street consisting of two lots and bungalow. Address F. G. Walton, 204-5th Avenue, Bay City.

John Larson returned from Galeburg, Ill., Monday where he was called by the serious illness of his sister, his mother who accompanied him expects to remain there for a time.

A card from Dr. and Mrs. O. Palmer, who are in Colorado on a pleasure trip with the National Press association, says that "Everything is jolly and then some, and a jolly crowd."

The general public is invited to attend a reception given at the opera house next Monday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 in honor of the tenth anniversary of the ordination of Rev. Fr. Riess into the priesthood.

George Olsen and sister, Miss Anna returned from the west last Thursday after spending the winter there. Both these young people are much improved in health and their many friends are glad to have them back again.

For Sale—40 acres of the North East 1/4 of the north east 1/4 of section 32, town 27 N, R 2 west. Good log house, chicken coop, a fine young bearing orchard of about 60 trees—apples, pears, plums and grapes. Warranted title. Address Peter M. Stephan or Henry Stephan, Grayling, Mich., P. B. 16.

The Bay City Board of Commerce Good-Fellowship excursion will visit Northern Michigan again this year. They will visit Grayling on Monday, July 7th, arriving at 3:35 and leaving at 5:30 p. m. Our citizens will recall with pleasure their former visits and, no doubt, will be on hand to welcome their party again this year.

The usual Bay View course will open on Thursday evening, July 21st, and last until August 13th. Among the celebrities who are to appear are Madam Schumann-Heink, Helen Keller, William J. Burns, famed musical organizations and many noted lecturers. Surely with this array of talent Bay View should be a most desirable place to spend the summer weeks.

Mrs. A. Gregersen, of Chicago, one of the delegates at the Danish convention held here last week was taken ill and cared for at Mercy hospital. While her stay at the hospital was made as pleasant for her as possible, she regretted that she had to lose the pleasure of the meetings. She was especially interested in mission work. She was dismissed from the hospital and left for her home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Freeland and daughter, Mrs. C. N. Yost attended the Loyal Order of Moose at Saginaw on June 12th and report a grand time, all visiting ladies being royally entertained by the Saginaw ladies of the W. L. M. C. All ladies and oldest moose were taken for auto rides throughout the city and in the parade in the afternoon, there being about 30 automobiles in line laden with visiting ladies. After supper there was a grand ball at the auditorium after which all departed for their homes voting the Saginaw people as royal entertainers.

A very successful term of school was closed last Friday and the teachers as follows are spending their vacation at their homes: Miss A. E. Irving at Crosswell, Nellie Magnant at Big Rapids, Breggetta Murray and Dorothy Judge at Alma, Gertrude Ross at Vassar, Clella Clark and Beale Yutsey at Ithaca, Amelia Antons at Marine City, Marguerite Burtons at Port Austin, Grace Jacobs at Oshtemo, Emma Moshman at Montague, Miss Jones is visiting at Saginaw for a while before going to her home in Gaylord, and Nava Bement is spending the week with Miss Bates at Portage lake, but will leave for her home in St. Charles next week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Partlow on Thursday last, a baby boy.

The Messrs. Henry Mapes and Ernest Howell spent Saturday at Frederic.

When a woman can arrive at satisfactory conclusions without expressing them, that is wisdom.

Order early your hard and soft coal, also coke, for prompt delivery and summer prices. Phone 703. May 29-1913 J. M. BUNTING.

The fine rain of last night was welcome in many ways. Farmers needed the rain badly, besides it materially extinguished many fires in the forests.

Keep your smile plumed on! Keep your smile plumed on! It may give another cheer, It may soothe another's fear, It may help another fight If your smile's on tight.

That's the system, gentlemen (and ladies, too)

The Coming Attractions.

Popular plays at popular prices by a popular company is an inducement for our theatrical patrons to patronize the Temple Theatre.

Such an event is at hand. The management has secured the well known Keenau players who will appear here next Monday evening, beginning a six nights engagement and presenting a line of summer entertainment unparalleled in point of variety and prices as to enlist the attention of all theatre goers.

A varied line is offered from grave to gay—the latest comedies and best dramas and a budget of vaudeville to enliven the waits between acts. A change of program nightly. The opening play is the latest successful society comedy entitled "The Thief's Daughter." For further particulars see adv. in another column.

Some Good Advice.

During the last year The American Lumberman of Chicago has conducted a department devoted to the building of communities that is known under the heading, "There's No Place Like Home." In a recent issue it has a few words on boosting a town which are worthy of reproduction in these columns. It says that if you want to see your town grow you should remember that you are a part of it and that its growth depends as much on you as it does on your neighbors. Don't get the idea that the future prosperity of the town rests with a few, for it is the business of all. Above all don't criticize those who are building up the community and do nothing yourself. They at least have the proper spirit and just as long as you deny them your support, just that much harder their work will be.

Be a booster for the town and lend your co-operation to those who have the nerve to start first. It is never too early to start and its never too late to begin.

Learning From the Fish.

"That's the tenth can of sardines you have ordered," said the railway magnate. "Aren't you afraid you will make yourself sick?" "I'm not eating them," replied the employee with inventive genius. "I think I'm on the track of a way to get more people into a street car."

Special Sale of Carnations FRIDAY and SATURDAY 25c per doz.

For Sale this week Tomato Plants, Cabbage Plants, Lettuce, Radish, Beet Greens.

GREEN HOUSE

Carpets, Rugs and Lace Curtains

Our New Complete Catalog of Rugs and Curtains is now ready for distribution. The very best wearing Rugs, Carpets, Linoleums and Curtains are those honestly made.

This is the kind you will find illustrated in our complete catalog, which shows 40 pages of fine color-type work and 56 pages of black and white.

Write, Phone or Call

—for this new catalog before buying your new floor coverings or curtains.

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STRAW HATS

We are showing the New Styles in Men's Straw Hats; Sailors and soft straws in a variety of shapes.

50c to \$3.50. Panamas \$6.00

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We show the only complete line in Grayling.

Remarkable values in Men's Blue Serge Suits at

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See our New Neckwear—Regular 50c silks and patterns for

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Cool Summer Underwear—two piece or union in POROS-KNIT, B. V. D. and Ballbriggan.

For a Rainy Day—Get one of our Rain Coats. A new lot just in.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

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Strawberry Shortcake

We have the Shortcake already for the berries.

Try It.

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Where Quality, Weight and Measure are Guaranteed

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Makes a Customer

It is true that in most every instance when we sell a loaf of bread to one who has not tried it before—we make a new customer. Model bread is all quality and it is always uniform. It is good as it is possible to make bread, every day in the year.

TRY IT.

Model Bakery

Thos. Cassidy.

OLD MASTER COFFEE

STEEL CUT

40 CENTS THE POUND

"The Aristocrat of the BREAKFAST TABLE"

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Freak Plays

That Decide Baseball Championships

By Hugh S. Fullerton

Detroit's Tigers and Philadelphia's Athletics were struggling in the final games of the baseball season in the Tigers' fair. Upon the outcome depended the championship of the American league, and the chance to meet the Chicago Cubs for the world's championship. The Athletics were ahead in the race, and although Mack's team had not ripened to its full strength it looked as if it would hold its lead. The game was the first of four that were to be played in Detroit, and in the eighth inning the Tigers were leading by the narrow margin of one run. Every member of the two teams knew that the first game probably would decide the series.

Detroit was clinging desperately to the one run lead that was earned by two terrific drives by Crawford and Cobb. Donovan was pitching magnificently, yet he could not prevent the Athletics from hitting; time and again the Tigers were thrown back on the defensive and saved by the wonderful fielding feats of Cobb and Bush. The eighteen athletes were strained to the breaking point and each one was "on his toes" every instant. In the eighth inning the Athletics got a runner to second base with no one out. It looked like a tied score, perhaps victory, when one of the strangest freak plays ever seen intervened, saved Detroit, and turned the entire tide of the season. The batter twice attempted to sacrifice, failed and was forced to hit. He swung at a fast ball, high and outside the plate, and sent a twisting, teasing fly over the head of the first baseman, perhaps seventy feet back of the bag, and the ball was falling almost on the foul line, one of the few spots on the entire playing field where balls fall safe almost every time, just out of the reach of any fielder. Rossman, the first baseman, turned and tore down the foul line, his back directly to the plate, but from the first it was evident he could not reach the falling ball. Schaefer, who was playing second, had been playing in perfect position to cut off a right-field hit from the bat of a left-handed hitter. He started the instant the ball was hit and sprinted at top speed toward it. From short right came Ty Cobb, who, seeing the victory snatched from his team by sheer luck, had turned on the wonderful burst of speed that has made him the marvel of baseball. It looked as if Cobb might reach the ball by a feat possible only for him, yet Schaefer, although slower, had made a quicker start, claimed the catch and reached the ball. His final leap, made with hands outstretched, brought him to the ball just inside the foul line and, as he accomplished the wonderful catch, and while the crowd was roaring with applause, Cobb, unable to check himself in his frantic effort, crashed against Schaefer, turned a somersault over him and, as he went down, Schaefer allowed the ball to fall from his hands. A groan arose from the crowd. The Athletic runner on second had tried to get back to the base when he saw that Schaefer would reach the ball, and now he turned and raced for the



Hal Chase.

plate. Schaefer, dazed by the shock, reached for the ball, and in a sitting position, with a last effort before going "out," threw wildly to the infield in hope that someone would catch it and stop the runner at third. He threw without aim, but the ball, going over Rossman's head, struck the grass, and went on the first bound into Schmidt's hands at the plate, retiring the runner who was striving to score from second. Philadelphia failed to score, Detroit won the game, won the series and finally won the pennant in the last few days of play. This play reveals the manner in which one turn of fortune may change an entire season's outcome and upset all the calculations of the baseball world. No one ever has been able to figure out the percentage of luck in the national game. I have heard play-ers estimate that luck is 30 per cent, while others claim it is at least 65 per cent.

MAN WON'T STAND FOR IT

"Matchless House" Makes No Appeal to the Comfort-Loving Individual of This Day.

Commenting on the subject of a feature to be delivered by a Boston highbrow—the Matchless House—a Boston newspaper says editorially: "The Matchless House! Who has not seen the brightly lighted building just off the clear, perfectly illuminated pavement? Plenty of brilliant, and

Oddly enough, when one begins to study the freak plays that decide games and not infrequently settle pennant races, it will be found that most of the strange bits of play that seem inexplicable, happen to clubs during their winning streaks. In looking over the queer plays of the last two seasons in my records I picked out twenty and discovered in every instance that the "luck broke" for the club that was at the time having a "winning streak." There are times when "everything breaks for" one club, when nothing another club may try will win.

During the early weeks of last season it seemed as if, no matter whether they did well or ill, the freak plays all resulted in their favor. "It's the only team I ever saw," mourned Fred Clarke, "that can win games by making errors." There was one play that must still remain impressed upon the memories of those who saw it. The game was at Chicago and had gone into extra innings. In the tenth, I believe it was, Chicago had a runner on third base with two out. The batter smashed a fierce drive just inside the first base, the game seemed over and the victory Chicago's. Konetchy, the Cardinal first baseman, dived at the ball as it was passing, slapped his mitt down and by this surprising effort, he managed to make the glove hit the ball. But instead of stopping, the ball rolled slowly back into right field on fair ground and stopped perhaps twenty-five feet behind the bag. Like a flash Konetchy leaped in pursuit of the ball, retrieved it and whirling he threw to the pitcher who was covering the base at top speed, only a stop ahead of the runner. Konetchy is one of the most powerful throwers in the business and he threw with all his force in an effort to make the play and save the day. The ball flashed past the pitcher so fast he hadn't time to put up his hands, shaved the head of the runner, who dodged, and bounded perfectly into Bressahan's hands at the plate. The runner coming home from third with the winning run had been loitering, and when to his amazement he saw the ball beating him to the plate he made a belated effort to slide, but Bressahan blocked him and touched him out. It perhaps was the only time on record when a wild throw to first base ever caught a runner at home and saved a ball game. It was merely an exaggerated example of the manner in which fortune followed the Cardinals during that period.

The most sensational game I have ever seen during twenty seasons of watching major league baseball was that between the Washington team and the Chicago White Sox late in 1911. It was filled with freakish plays from start to finish. The Washington team just then was in the only lucky streak it enjoyed during the season and seemed a certain winner. First, Walter Johnson hit one of the longest drives I ever saw, a ball that on a still day would have cleared the deep center-field fence. A high wind, however, was blowing directly from center toward the plate and the ball, soaring high, was caught by it. Bodie had started straight outward at top speed seemingly without a chance to reach the ball, but the wind checked the force of the drive, the ball began to slow up and then fall, at first directly downward and then backward toward the pursuing fielder, who actually overtook it, and made a spectacular catch. A few moments later Walker, in left field for Washington, raced to left center in pursuit of a vicious line drive. There was a puddle of water in his path and Walker appeared to be watching that puddle more than he was the ball. He skirted the water and turned as if in pursuit of the ball and, glancing up, he saw that the high wind had broken the flight of the sphere and that it was coming straight at his head. He ducked, threw up his bare hand as if to ward off the blow, and the ball struck his hand and stuck there.

Inning after inning of sensational catches, startling stops, line smashes aimed straight at fielders, rapid double plays, followed, keeping the crowd rolled up and wild with enthusiasm. Finally "Prince Henry" Schaefer capped the climax by starting a play that became historic, and started never ending discussion. Clyde Milan, a fast and clever runner, was on third. Schaefer was on first, two men were out and a weak batter was at the plate. On the first ball pitched Schaefer stole second, loitering purposely and trying to draw a throw from the catcher that would give Milan a chance to score. As two runs would not do any more damage than one, the Sox let him run unmolested, feeling certain the batter could not hit. On the next ball pitched, also a strike, Schaefer stole from second back to third, again striving to force Chicago to throw. The White Sox instantly raised a protest. The umpires were silent. They could not tell the Chicago players what to do, although palpably the play was for the first baseman to play ahead of Schaefer, take the throw from the pitcher, force Schaefer back to the first base and touch him out. Milan hadn't a chance to go home if the play was

made that way. Schaefer had no right to first base but was free to return to second if he could escape being touched, as no runner is out on the bases unless touched or forced. Chicago, evidently ignorant of the rules, was arguing heatedly and Manager Duffy ran from the third base coaching line to the pitcher's dish to appeal to the assistant umpire. Finally the ball was thrown to first base, but behind Schaefer, who instantly started for second and when the ball was thrown to second Milan made a dash for the plate. Schaefer achieved his purpose, even though Milan was caught at the plate. Then Washington protested the game, in case of defeat, on the grounds that, when the play was made, Chicago had ten men in uniform on the playing field.

The game went to the twelfth inning and finally, with a runner on third base, and Schaefer again on first, the batter drove out a clean single that ended the contest. Still unsatisfied with the freaks of the day Schaefer ran from first down to second, stopped, looked around to see if anyone (especially an umpire) was looking, walked all the way around second base without touching it, and, satisfied that he had duplicated Morley's famous play, came off the field grinning. That evening he held a celebration to greet over the White Sox and the umpire, not one of whom had observed his failure to touch the bag.

Among the abnormal incidents that figured in the earlier history of the



Germany Schaefer.

national game, perhaps none is as well known to old-timers as the one which happened to Cliff Carroll, on the St. Louis grounds, when he was a member of the famous "Browns." Perhaps you have wondered why baseball players have plain shirt fronts, and why so few players have breast pockets. Cliff Carroll is the reason. He was running forward to take a base hit on the first bound. The ball bounced crooked and hit him on the chest. He grabbed at the ball hastily and, as he clutched it, he shoved it down into the handkerchief pocket on his shirt front. The runner saw Carroll tugging and straining to tear the ball out of the pocket and instead of stopping at first, he sprinted on to second while Carroll, still trying to dislodge the ball, ran to second. The batter missed the better and turned for third with Carroll in pursuit. At third Carroll stopped and tried in vain to release the ball, and the runner kept on across the plate and scored the winning run. Chris von der Ahe, who at that time was at the head of the euphonio trio, Von der Ahe, Muckentuff and Diddlebock, which operated the club, was furious and ordered all pockets removed from baseball shirts. Other teams followed and the pockets never have been restored, except by a few players who are willing to risk the repetition of the accident.

Of all the good luck freaks that I ever heard recounted, the best was that which happened to Frank Isbell when he was playing with St. Paul in the old Western league. In those days baseball on Sunday was not permitted within the corporation limits of St. Paul, and a Sunday park had been erected outside the city's jurisdiction. The ground was extremely small and was inclosed by a high fence. So small was the inclosure that batters hitting the ball hard against the fences were compelled to sprint to first, because if the ball happened to rebound directly to the fielder, he could throw a slow runner out. As it required about four hits of their equivalent in errors to yield a run, small scores were the rule. In the ninth inning of this game Milwaukee made two runs the advantage and there were runners on first and second with Isbell at bat. St. Paul's only logical hope was for a home run over one of the high fences. Isbell hit a hard line smash to right field against the fence. The runner on first was a slow man and the fielder squatted, expecting the ball to rebound to him and to whirl and force the slow man at second base, ending the game. But the ball didn't rebound. It impaled itself on a wire nail about ten feet up the fence, and while the Milwaukee outfielders were hunting a ladder, Isbell circled the bases and won the game.

Another peculiar play once gave the Chicago White Sox a game that

seemed lost. Harvey, a left-handed pitcher, was compelled to play third base because of the badly crippled condition of his team and in the seventh inning, Chicago being one ahead, the opposing team got runners to first and second before anyone went out. Naturally the play was for the batter to push down a sacrifice bunt. The White Sox had a system of play designed to kill the sacrifice in that situation. The shortstop and second baseman, aided by the pitcher, were to hold the runner at second as close to the base as possible. The third baseman was to play close, as if intending to take the bunt, but as the ball was being pitched he was to run back, cover third, while the pitcher fielded the bunted ball, threw to third and forced out the runner at that point. Harvey had been carefully coached how the play was to be executed, but the batter, detecting the play from the actions of the shortstop and second baseman, changed signals and decided to try to drive the ball past Harvey hard instead of bunting. As the pitcher wound up Harvey whirled and sprinted back to third. The batter chopped the ball hard and sent a floo hit straight toward third base. The ball struck Harvey on the back of the head, and bounded high; the sixth baseman, as he went staggering on over the base, caught the ball and, by a fast throw to second, doubled the runner off. As Harvey came off the field nursing the bump on his head Manager Jones remarked: "That's using your noodle, Old Man."

Leford Tannehill was the hero of a remarkable play late in the season of 1906, and, as the play saved the game for Chicago, and as the White Sox won the pennant by a one-game margin and then beat the Cubs for the world's championship, the freak play might be said to have given the Sox the world's championship. The game was against St. Louis and with the White Sox one run in the lead; an error and a two-base hit put Brown, runners on second and third with one out. The infield was called close to cut off the runner at the plate and prevent a tied score, as Jones, the manager, saw his team could not hit the St. Louis pitcher and figured a tie probably meant a defeat. The ball was hit fiercely and straight at Tannehill, who is one of the surest fielders in the business and possessed of a wonderful pair of hands for blocking hard-driven balls. The ball appeared to be bounding true but on the short bound, it struck something, shot straight at Tannehill's chin, hit him and, as he reeled from the knock-out blow, the ball fell back directly into his hands. He threw to the plate, then sat down looking foolish and took the full count before he was able to get up.

Larry Doyle's lucky kick which almost gave the Giants the National league championship in 1908 is another historic freak of play. Those perennial rivals, the Giants and Cubs, were playing what seemed the deciding series of the year; the Cubs needing one run to tie and had two men on bases, when the batter hit viciously between Doyle and second base. Doyle reached the ball but it broke through his hands, and it seemed as if the error had given Chicago the game. Instead, the ball hit Doyle's shin, bounded straight into the hands of Bridwell, who was on second waiting for the throw, and the easy double play retired the Chicago team. New York winning by one run.

The tales most often told are those illustrating how ill fortune will pursue teams and the instances of "runs of luck" and "tough breaks" are as numerous as there are games multiplied by players. The Chicago Cubs never will cease mourning the fact that George Robe, of the White Sox, one of the weakest players that ever broke into the American league, and a weak hitter, beat them out of one world's championship. Robe, who wasn't strong enough to hold a sub-



Ty Cobb.

stitute position on the team more than one more season, made two three-base hits and each of them gave the White Sox a victory.

Hal Chase lost a game for New York last season in a peculiar fashion. Two runners were on the bases and two men were out when an easy bounder was hit to third. Hartzell made a perfect throw and the inning seemed over, but as the ball came near to him Chase dodged suddenly, threw up his hands as if to protect his face, two runs scored and the Highlanders recorded another hard luck defeat. It developed later that a photographer was squatting on the ground outside the coaches' box and the sun reflected from the metal of the camera dazzled Chase just at the critical instant and caused him to lose sight of the ball.

A Business Trip. "Papa wanted to know whether you were a good business man," she cooed. "Have you any idea why he asked?" inquired the young man, who had been cooing for a long time. "I guess it was because you never talk business."—Judge.

The ONLOOKER

HENRY HOWLAND

The WATCHER



The little one who waits for me. Whose face is pressed against the pane. Peers through the darkness eagerly. But he must watch and wait in vain.

He cannot know that I no more May hurry from my desk at night To greet and kiss him at the door. To hear him shouting with delight.

He does not know that she and I Have started on diverging ways. Perhaps he often wonders why The ones who pass so strangely gaze.

O God, protect him where he stands And eagerly looks down the street. May pleading tasks be for his hands And may his dreams be ever sweet.

And when the knowledge comes at last That he must gain, in spite of fate, Oh, may he hold the old love fast And keep his proud heart free from hate.

A little one who waits for me. Whose face is pressed against the pane. Peers through the darkness eagerly. But he must watch and wait in vain.

The Deserter. "Do you desire to have it understood," asked the Judge, addressing the lady who wanted the divorce, "that your husband deserted you?" "Yes, sir."

"Please tell the court as concisely as you can how he deserted you."

"Two months after we had completed our wedding trip he scolded me because he thought I was extravagant in the matter of getting clothes, and I went home to my people."

"Yes, proceed."

"Well, I waited and waited and waited for him to come and beg me to return to him, and he never did."

Give Him a Chance. "I think," said the head of the firm, "we'd better discharge that new salesman."

"Why?" asked the vice-president. "He doesn't seem to be able to sell anything."

"I know, but you must remember that he may learn. Why, he's so innocent he even turns in an honest expense account. Let's give him a chance."

An Apology. "Do you know that frumpish-looking woman directly opposite us?" "That's my wife."

"I beg your pardon, old man. I had no wish to offend you, I assure you. I ought to have known better than to make so ungentlemanly a remark, and I should never have done it if I hadn't always thought you had pretty good taste."

Encouragement. "Never mind, old man. Nobody will buy your pictures now, but some future collector may pay hundreds of thousands of dollars apiece for them."

"Yes; but what good will that do me?"

"Well, you can at least have the satisfaction of knowing that if any man ever does pay big prices for them he will be getting the worst of it."

Queer Woman. "What an eccentric woman that Mrs. Bradbury is."

"I have never noticed anything queer about her."

"Haven't you? Her husband inherited \$5,000 nearly two months ago and she hasn't made him get an automobile or plan to take a European trip yet."

Truly Remarkable. "Quite a remarkable thing happened at the banquet last night."

"Did somebody tell a story that was new?"

"No, the stories were all old, but one of the speakers who said he had nothing to say sat down immediately after saying 'It.'"

Easy. "I wish I knew how to find out whether she really cares for me."

"I'll tell you how. Make an engagement to call on her some evening and then get one of your friends to invite her to go to the theater. If she doesn't break the engagement with you it's a cinch."

Not a Financial Genius. "The great trouble with Parker is that he lacks business sense."

"Is that it?"

"Sure. Why, he'd be fool enough to try to establish a water cure in Kentucky."

Preparation. "Your wife appears to be very busy these days."

"Yes, she is having things set in order, so that she can go to the hospital for the purpose of submitting to her annual operation."

FIND MUCH USE FOR IVORY

Markets of the World Are Open for It Today, and the Supply Seems Unlimited.

If you ask any dealer what ivory is chiefly used for at the present day, he will reply at once: "Piano keys."

America imports ivory from the east coast of Africa exclusively for this purpose. Next in volume come billiard balls, cutlery handles, brushware and toilet articles. It also enters into the manufacture of numberless little ornaments and articles of general use, such as statuettes, crucifixes, paper cutters, workbox fittings, toys and chessmen.

The most valuable of all is the "servicillon," to which I have referred—as being used in the making of billiard balls, and on an average three balls of fine quality are got out of a small tusk. Ivory balls, however, have now formidable rivals in benzoline and other composition materials, and in regard to quite a number of articles which used to be fashioned out of ivory, celluloid and bone take its place.

There is little waste product from ivory. A use is found for cuttings, shavings and scraps left over after main processes have been completed. India takes large quantities of the rings left after the turning of billiard balls, and uses them to make women's bangles and small toys and models. In which the cunning hand of the native craftsman excels. The dust is used in polishing and in the preparation of ivory black and India ink, and I am told it may also be utilized as food in the form of ivory jelly, a delicacy of which I have no personal knowledge.

Elephants are carefully preserved in many districts. If the ancient quadruped is really destined to follow the mammoth and the cave bear, and cease to walk the earth, he is in no hurry to go. He would be a rash man who would venture to predict when the last tusk may be expected to vanish from the scene and the last parcel of animal ivory be delivered at the London docks.—London Post.

Working Through College. An old and not a very easy question is raised by the advice given to needy students by a Cornell professor who tells them not to try to work their way through college, but to borrow what money they need. Each case has to be settled on its merits. If a man has a \$10,000 mind and a market for it in sight, it may be poor economy to take time from his studies and other college occupations to earn money by odd jobs, and the extra work may even involve risk of a breakdown. On the contrary, a rugged, independent youth, with plenty of strength and a faculty for finding work may be positively benefited by the extra labor of earning his way and by the stimulating sense of being out of debt. Yet there are many good men who have not this faculty, and it is rather surprising that no millionaire in endowing colleges has yet planned for shops where work at a fair price could be offered to students. Steady cumulative work is educationally better than odd jobs, and after a first year of training a student's labor should be worth a fair wage. Whatever deficit was incurred could be charged up to vocational training.

Petrified Tree Causes Big Question. Not far from the Sullivan ranch and near the junction of Cut Bank creek and Two Medicine creek, Montana, there is a butte, probably 450 or 500 feet above the surrounding country and about seven miles in circumference, with almost perpendicular sides. The butte is absolutely devoid of timber, but at one time on the summit there grew a fine straight pine tree two feet in diameter and not short of 80 to 100 feet high. This is proved by the fact that the tree now lies full length on the ground, cut into two-foot lengths, the ax marks of the woodman being plainly discernible in every cut of the wood, which is now petrified.

To tell the tree up hill, as was done, it had to be chopped almost entirely on the side toward which it was to fall, and the petrified stump shows that this was done. Every one of the cuts, which hint of commercial purposes for the wood, gives indisputable evidence of the woodman's ax. The great wonder is in what age was the tree cut, what sort of people did the work and with what sort of ax?

Too Many Prominent People. We desire to call attention to the alarming increase in prominent people. If this thing keeps up we shall all be hopelessly involved. There was a time when it was possible to know practically all of the prominent people there were. For instance, in the old Roman days you could keep track of Julius Caesar up in Gaul, and Cicero, Lucullus, Horace, Vergil and all the others that were worth knowing could almost be counted on the fingers of both hands.

But today everybody is more or less prominent, and becoming more so. The only solution that we can think of is to become acquainted with the people who are not prominent. They fill a small but select society and they are better people to know, anyway. They have modesty and are not pushing themselves forward, and they wear better in the long run.—Life.

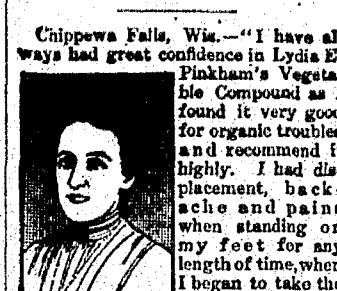
Smile Means Much. "The smile is one of the greatest assets of the successful salesman or saleswoman," says the manager of a department store linen department. "It makes friends for the store as readily as do moderate prices and good goods."

"The ability to smile for eight hours a day is a trait hard to acquire and possessed by few store help. Yet it can be gained by constant practice—the watching of oneself and not permitting at any time the slightest indication of a frown."

"I recall my first purchase in a New York department store. I was directed to the counter where I could find the special article of my choice. I was met by a grin 'What is it?' from the saleswoman. I recall I said, 'Nothing,' and I haven't been in that store since."

THIS WOMAN HAD MUCH PAIN WHEN STANDING

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made Her a Well Woman.



Chippewa Falls, Wis.—"I have always had great confidence in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as I found it very good for organic troubles and recommend it highly. I had displacement, backache and pains when standing on my feet for any length of time, when I began to take the medicine, but I am

in fine health now. If I ever have those troubles again I will take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. E. FENNON, 810 High St., Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin.

Providence, R. I.—"I cannot speak too highly of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as it has done wonders for me and I would not be without it. I had organic displacement and bearing down pains and backache and was thoroughly run down when I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helped me and I am in the best of health at present. I work in a factory all day long besides doing my housework so you can see what it has done for me. I give you permission to publish my name and I speak of your Vegetable Compound to many of my friends."—Mrs. ABRAHAM LAWSON, 123 Lippitt St., Providence, R. I.

He is a successful business man who can make more money than his wife can spend.

Be thrifty on little things like bluing. Don't scrub water like a man. Ask Red Cross Ball Blue, the extra good value blue. Adv.

Linguist. "I am returning to you because I can't understand a word he says."

"That doesn't concern me. Madam buys a parrot from Java; all madam has to do is to learn Javanese."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, soothes the stomach.

The Other View. "But, confound it all, you autoists certainly believe that pedestrians should stick to their rights, don't you?"

"Sure. But, dod blame it all, what can we do when most of 'em keeps dodging to their lefts?"

Reuling Habits Strong. "Well, so you are worth millions, eh?"

"Yes, struck it rich."

"Turn yourself away from all the old habits of life, I suppose?"

"No; I cling to a few. I still empty the drip pan of the refrigerator every night."

Hint to Rural Landlords. Uncle Upcreek—"There ain't been a trout in that there creek for thirty year; now our new boarder is pullin' 'em out as fast as he can drop 'em."

Mrs. Upcreek—"That's what comes of advertisin' our trout fishing in the religious papers; they can't lie, no-how.—Puck.

Duty as a Reformer. There is no such reformer as an ex-acting duty. Note the asceticism of athletes and ascots. The ravages of drink are abated by machinery, with its demand for a clear brain and steady nerves, is multiplied on every hand. Each new stress of business and professional rivalry puts a fresh premium on sobriety and wise restraint.

Doubtful of God's Power. "Out of the mouth of babes" frequently comes reproaching, regenerating hints of high spiritual value. A little girl whose father was very ill was asked if she had prayed for his recovery. "No," she replied, her innocent eyes wide and solemn. "I did think of it, but then I wondered if it would be any use. I know God's bigger 'n' wiser than people, but I didn't know if he could kill germs."

BEGAN YOUNG. Mad "Coffee Nerves" From Youth.

"When very young I began using coffee and continued up to the last six months," writes a Texas girl.

"I had been exceedingly nervous, thin and very sorrowful. After quitting coffee and drinking Postum about a month my nervousness disappeared and has never returned. This is the more remarkable as I am a primary teacher and have kept right on with my work."

"My complexion now is clear and rosy, my skin soft and smooth. As a good complexion was something I had greatly desired, I feel amply repaid even though this was the only benefit derived from drinking Postum."

"Before beginning its use I had suffered greatly from indigestion and headaches; these troubles are now unknown."

I changed from coffee to Postum without the slightest inconvenience. I did not even have a headache. Have known coffee drinkers, who were visiting me, to use Postum a week without being aware that they were not drinking coffee."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. for booklet, "The Road to Wellville."

Postum comes in two forms. Regular (must be boiled). Instant Postum doesn't require boiling but is prepared instantly by stirring a level teaspoonful in an ordinary cup of hot water, which makes it right for most persons.

A big cup requires more and more people who like strong things put in a heaping teaspoonful and tanger in with a large supply of cream.

Expectant with you know the secret that this is a new and better way to get your Postum.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
Makes delicious home-baked foods of maximum quality at minimum cost. Makes home baking pleasant and profitable

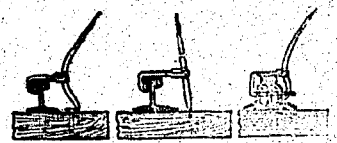
DIRGE OF THE TRAINS.

The miles of the night
We have paved with light
To guard the flight
Of the whirling wheel;
And we ride by day
On a warded way
In the armor gray
Of our throbbing steel.
In our thundering race
We have conquered space
And the coast embrace
By our blinding speed;
And time turns back
On our shining track
While the steam whips cracks
On the metal steel.
In our smoke-breath swirl
We have changed a world
And its riches whirled
To the hand of Man,
With the might of God
In the piston rod
And the flames shed
For a holy plan.
We were fed and freed
For the goodly deed
Till the chill of greed
To the man-mind came—
Till the good we gave
Made a gleaming grave
To the wrecked and dead
And the throbbed flame.
Now it's haste, more haste,
Through the town and waste,
And our flight is paced
By the death-wind cold;
And it's pay, more pay,
For our masters' cry
And the demons' cry
When the wheels are tolled.
God gave us birth
For the boon of Earth,
And we prove our worth
By the might of Man—
But, still, and still,
We carry and kill
By the meter's will
And the despot's plan.
—Chester Perkins in Chicago American.

FOUND TO DO GOOD WORK

Rail Bars of Approved Type Give Satisfaction and Are Said to Save Much Labor.

The rail bar shown in the sketch has been found to work effectively and to save much labor as well, says Railway Age Gazette. It is made in three types, as shown. The bar at the



The Three Types of Bars in Use on Rails, Showing Their Application in Each Case.

left is used to force the rail into place against the spikes when renewing a rail. The form in the center is used to hold the rail to gauge where tie plates are being applied or where there are no spikes in the ties, while the one at the right is employed to draw the angle bars into position in order that the bolts may be easily applied.

For Shoeplate Tips.
The tips of shoeplates sometimes come off quite good faces. In this case they may be replaced with impromptu tags of sealing wax. Cut the tag, smear it over with sealing wax, then press it to a point while the wax is still warm.

Jail to Sober Trainmen.

The Kansas railroads are preparing to ask the coming legislature to enact a law making the drinking of liquor by trainmen punishable by a heavy fine and a jail sentence.
All the railroads have rulings that their trainmen, engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen, flagmen, porters and train dispatchers, as well as switching men, must not drink while on duty.
Now the railroads are going to ask the state to help them stop the practice entirely and also enable them to keep some of the most efficient employees.
The roads would suspend a trainman caught drinking while on duty and then would also prosecute him in the state court and send him to jail. Then it is believed the trainmen might reform and actually quit using liquor while on duty, more to avoid the jail sentence than to avoid discharge.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Rising to the Burden.

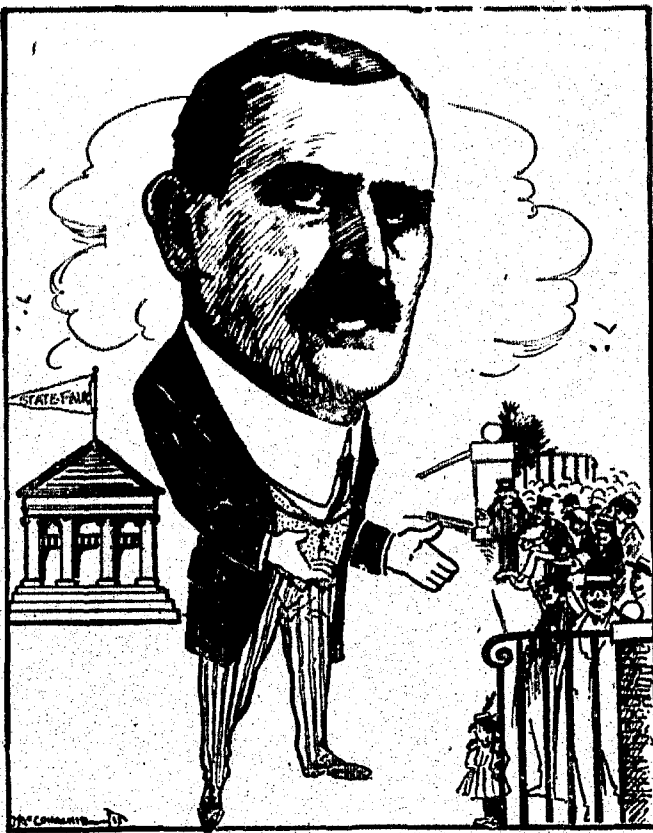
"An acre of ground that now supports two people will have to support a thousand in days to come."
"Well, it can probably do it," asserted Mr. Wombat. "I used to barely support myself. Now I support a wife, four children, a mother-in-law, and two of my wife's brothers, and I don't seem to feel the strain very much more."

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system; thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the person strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer \$100 for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo Ohio.
Sold by all druggists, 75.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Synthetic Milk Lauded.

Just now synthetic milk is a common topic in the German press, and is lauded as the highly important discovery of Dr. Rieger, professor of hygienics at the University of Klausenburg, Austria. This milk is produced from grain by a machine of simple construction, and is said to equal the best quality of cow's milk. Milk can also be made from soy beans; it has a peculiar flavor, but a German factory has for several years successfully produced from the soy bean milk of a reputed agreeable flavor, which sells at low price.



G. W. Dickinson, General Manager of the Michigan State Fair.

ABOUT thirty-one years ago the shrill warning shriek of No. 6 as she rounded the bend caused a robust, overbuilt boy who had been engaged in the occupation of training Old Hobbin up and down endless rows of evergreen to desist in his exciting task until the steel steed galloped around the curve.

As this was a bit too early for the advent of the Empire theater, with its new and exclusive wild west film (approved by the national board of censorship)—last five rows reserved for ladies who do not wish to remove their hats, there was nothing for the boy to do that night except to become uneasy and dissatisfied with his lot. Before he took the candle up to bed he had decided on his course. He would be a railroad man. He hadn't quite made up his mind whether he wanted to be a superintendent or general manager, but that could be decided on later.

Seven years have passed, and that boy, now a young man, is an expert telegraph operator. He is directing the course of those steel fliers he used to so fondly view from the confield.

He soon got so he knew the business so thoroughly that a Michigan railroad corporation thought he would make a crackerjack superintendent of its road. He did.

When Governor Warner was casting around for a competent state railroad commissioner he hit upon a practical man for the job—George W. Dickinson. He justified the governor's confidence.

Recently the Michigan State Agricultural Society concluded that it wanted a man at the head of the Michigan State Fair who was able to substitute a little efficiency for haphazard management. The fair needed an expert business director. One of its directors and an ardent enthusiast, George W. Dickinson, was prevailed upon to accept the thankless job.

Those same forceful methods which enabled George Dickinson to rise out of the obscurity of a Sanilac county farm to emphatic success in the business world are already manifesting themselves in the general management of the Michigan State Fair.

BETTER HORSES FAIR'S SLOGAN

Larger Incentives Offered in Light Stallion Classes.

CAVALRY HORSES TO SHOW

Manager Dickinson Says Michigan Breeders Can Reap Rewards From War Department—Military Jumpers to Perform.

By offering much bigger incentives for the breeding of horses suitable for service in the United States army the Michigan State Fair believes it is accomplishing a double purpose.

Through breeding mounts up to the United States army requirements the farmers are enabled to get bigger prices for them and at the same time elevate the standard of Michigan bred animals.

The dearth of the proper kind of animals for army service has been a problem for the war department has been up against for the last few years and with little prospect of a comprehensive solution. The farmers all over the state of Michigan have taken largely to the breeding of heavy draft horses for farm and city use. This exclusion of the light, strong horse for military service has naturally cut down the supply to an alarming extent. It has come to pass where the government is forced to assist the farmer in breeding in order to increase the number of desirable animals. The same sort of mount the government demands also comes under the saddle horse and light harness class, so that any encouragement of this style of horse will not necessarily mean but one market for the distribution of the improved products.

General Manager Dickinson of the State Fair is asking the war department to send a troop of typical cavalry horses to the 1913 Fair so that the breeders may become familiar with the style desired. A good war charger must be a fine jumper, and so one of the special night features of this year's Fair will be the vaulting in the military class.

"We know that Michigan farmers can supply part of the demand of the government for cavalry animals as well as the western states do," said General Manager Dickinson. "It means bigger profits as well as carrying out the patriotic side of the question. Government experts assure us that they are highly pleased with our idea to encourage the breeding of horses fit for army purposes."

Best Laxative for the Aged.

Old men and women feel the need of a laxative more than young folks, but it must be safe and harmless and one which will not cause pain. The King's New Life Pills are especially good for the aged, for they act promptly and easily. Price 25c. Recommended by A. M. Lewis & Co., A. S.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

TRUE courage is not incompatible with nervousness; and heroism does not mean the absence of fear, but the conquest of it. —Van Dyke.

HELPFUL HINTS.

When making gravy, if you have a ginger snap add it well crumbled to the gravy for thickening instead of flour. It gives a rich color to the gravy.

To remove machine or carriage grease from clothing, rub well with lard, and after standing for an hour or two, wash with hot soap suds.

Fruit stains of any kind may be removed by placing the stained portion of the cloth over a bowl and pouring boiling hot water over the stain. It will gradually fade away.

Coffee, tea or cocoa stains should be soaked in cold water for an hour, then wring dry and proceed as for fruit stains, pouring boiling water through the stained portion.

When leaving wood pails and tubs for some time, lay thicknesses of newspaper in the bottom and around the sides of the tubs, filling them a third full of water. The paper will hold moisture after the water has dried out of the tubs.

Salt codfish that has been scalded and drained three times then is ready to serve with chopped parsley and butter.

Frying pans and old dripping pans that have been used for years may be nicely cleaned by burning them in the furnace fire for half a day. They will come out sweet as new.

Fresh paint may be easily removed by an application of turpentine; but old, dry paint will need naphtha. Use it out of doors, as it is highly inflammable.

Pero, i.e., used on a piece of cotton wound around a toothpick, will remove stains under the nails.

Always keep a small bottle of peroxide on hand, as it is useful to use on a cut finger or any inflamed skin.

Pure glycerine diluted with a little lemon juice is a good softener and whitener of the hands.

A roll or box of adhesive paste is invaluable. There are countless ways of using it. A piece put on a sore corn or bunion will protect it and keep the corn from hardening. It can even be used in an emergency to mend a rent in a gown. Place the plaster on the under side and press it with a hot iron, bringing the frayed edges together.

Nellie Maxwell.

THE LITTLE DEAL MIDGET.
The littlest child of a kiddy, which was the subject of an inquest at Wandsworth, England, not long since was described by a doctor as the smallest baby he had ever known. It only weighed 3 pounds 14 ounces, instead of the normal 7 1/2 pounds, and its length was only 1 foot 5 inches, as compared with the average 3 feet 3 inches.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the village of Grayling, in said county, on the 3rd day of June, A. D., 1913.

Present: Hon. Wellington Batterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Fred Bloom, deceased.

George J. Sorenson (of Sorenson Bros.), creditor of said deceased, having filed in said court his petition, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to W. S. Brown of Lovell, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 7th day of July, A. D., 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three consecutive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the CRAWFORD AVANTAGE, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

WELLINGTON BATTESSON,
Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.]
WELLINGTON BATTESSON,
Judge of Probate. June 5-13

State of Michigan.

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery.

In the matter of the petition of the directors of Michelson & Hanson Lumber Co. for its dissolution, etc.

To all whom it may concern:

Take notice that I intend to present my final account as receiver of said Michelson & Hanson Lumber Company, properly and effects to said court on the fourth day of July, 1913, at the opening of said court at the court house in the village of Grayling, in said county and state, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, at which said time and place all persons interested in the matter of said account can be heard.

June 19-13 NELS MICHELSON,
Receiver.

Take Plenty of Time to Eat.

There is a saying that "rapid eating is slow suicide." If you have formed a habit of eating too rapidly you are most likely suffering from indigestion or constipation, which will result eventually in serious illness corrected. Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated and insalivated. Then when you have a fullness of the stomach or feel dull and stupid after eating, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many severe cases of stomach trouble and constipation have been cured by these tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Sold by all dealers. Adv.

Saving Patent Leather.

Patent leather shoes and slippers will last twice as long if you wipe them off occasionally with a soft cloth that has been wrung out of olive oil. Keep the cloth in a small tin box, one that has a cover, and the oil will last a long time.

Worth the Cost.

Pierre Laurent, in Paris, had his worn-out stomach removed, and the stomach of an ape was successfully substituted. The operation may have been costly, but he can easily save the price by dieting on peanuts and insects.

City Man's Sneer at Country.

There was a Frenchman who hated the country as much as did Charles Lamb, but compressed his feelings into few words. This was Charles Monselet, who lived on the Quai Voltaire, Paris. "It is," he said, "the place where the birds are raw."

Must Have Been in Boston.

The mother of a priggish little lad of seven inquired what ailed him, drawing her deductions as to some trouble, mental or physical, from his heavy frown. "Nothing ails me, mamma," said the child, slowly. "What makes you ask me? Do you think that every time my brow is wrinkled I have something on my mind?"

Guaranteed Eczema Remedy.

The constant itching, burning, redness, rash and disagreeable effects of eczema, tetter, salt rheum, itch, piles and irritating skin eruptions can be readily cured and the skin made clear and smooth with Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Mr. J. C. Eveland of Bath, Ill., says "I had eczema twenty-five years and had tried everything. All failed. When I found Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment I found a cure." This ointment is the formula of a physician and has been in use for years—not an experiment. That is why we can guarantee it. All druggists or by mail. Price 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. Adv.

The Famous Salt and Mineral Baths at Manistee, Michigan.

Rheumatism, Nervous Disorders, Skin Diseases, Catarrhs, Gout, Gravel, and all ailments are all cured by this great water treatment. Bath taken at least three times a week. Bristle Inn, Manistee, Mich.

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DETROIT, MICH.

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Time Card

In effect May 4, 1913.

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